



Atty. Docket No.: CME/03-001

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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) Art Unit: 3746
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) Examiner: Michael Koczo Jr
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February 24, 2006

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Restriction Requirement mailed on February 14, 2006.

I. <u>Restriction Requirement</u>

The Requirement for Restriction required restriction under 35 U.S.C. § 121 to one of the following two (2) inventions: Claims 1-16, drawn to a pump and motor having a motor control responsive to a motor condition, classified in class 417, subclass 44.1 (Group I); and Claims 17-32, drawn to a method of controlling a motor of a pump responsive to a motor condition, classified in class 417, subclass 53(Group II). The Restriction Requirement stated that Groups I and II are distinct, each from the other and have acquired a separate status in the art as shown by their different classification.

In response to the Restriction Requirement, Applicants hereby elect Group I (Claims 1-16) for prosecution on the merits in this application.

If there are any outstanding issues that can be resolved by telephone, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at (412) 767-2400 x3021.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: February 24, 2006

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